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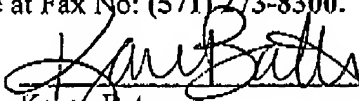
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the communication mailed April 3, 2007, imposing a restriction/election requirement, applicant responds as follows:

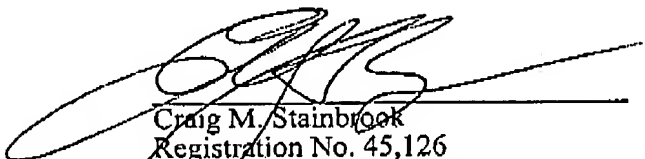
In response to the restriction requirement, applicant hereby provisionally elects claims 1 through 4 for prosecution on the merits, without traverse.

Applicants' election is made without prejudice. The examiner has required restriction between a process and apparatus for its practice.

An action on the merits of all of the claims are now respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: May 3, 2007


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